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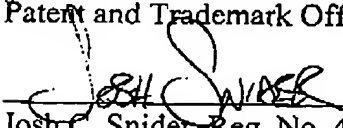
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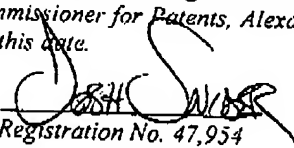
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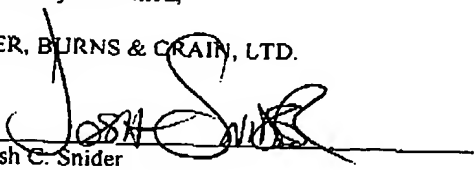
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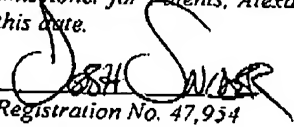
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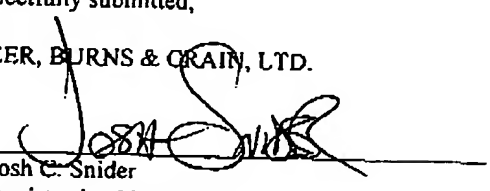
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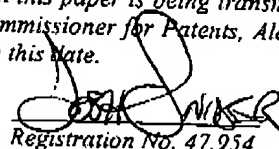
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SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT B

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed February 10, 2005, Office Action mailed November 16, 2004, and pursuant to the agreement reached in the Telephone Interview conducted on November 23, 2004, please amend the above-identified Application as follows: